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church ever conceived it to mean. As we should understand the great underlying forces of Christianity to-day, it doesn't mean a little, through ticket to heaven. It is something larger. It is to make men big enough and fit enough to be the leaders of men in all large interests of life. The church to-day needs 100 per cent men. How many of us are? Most of us are content to remain 25 per cent men. Some are 40 per cent men, but Jesus doesn't want the 25 and 40 per cent men.

In closing, Rev. Mr. Barnett summed up the philosophy of life by quoting lines from Kipling, his "L'Envoi," adding to the force of the argument for a sort of Christianity that aims at something

more and apart from eternal life. Christ and His teachings are as practicable to-day as ever, asserted the clergyman, and Christianity has a very real mission in the world. It concerns the high relations of life and extends the brotherhood of home to the brotherhood of all the world. It makes of death a mere incident on the road to eternal life. Heaven is enough without visions of sitting on a bank and playing a golden harp. The life of the Master is worth emulating for its earthly rewards as well as for those of the hereafter.

Honored By Fellow Clergymen.

Clergymen of Barre gave Dr. Barnett a complimentary dinner at Cafe Shepard at the close of the evening service last night, every minister in the city being present. Rev. Edgar Crossland, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, presided and among those who spoke briefly was Rev. P. M. McKenna, pastor of St. Monica's church and the pastor of the Barre clergy, who feelingly voiced the regrets of the local clergy in bidding farewell to the guest of honor. Dr. Barnett responded in kind and spoke of the cordial relations which he grieved to terminate in taking up his residence and work elsewhere. Besides the clergymen already mentioned, the following ministers were present: Rev. B. J. Lehigh of the First Baptist church, Rev. J. B. Reardon of the Universalist church, Rev. W. J. M. Beattie of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rev. B. G. Lipsey of the Methodist church, Rev. James Ramo of the East Barre Congregational church, and Rev. J. F. Plainfield of the Italian Baptist mission.

At the station this morning a number of Rev. Mr. Barnett's parishioners and other friends assembled to bid him good-bye. In the assembly were a number of youngsters and their spokesman, Charles Collins, presented the clergyman a remembrance from the boys of the church just as he boarded the train. The young man referred gratefully to spirit of co-operation which has existed between the pastor and the boys and Dr. Barnett responded.

WATERBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill and Misses Margaret O'Neill and Nellie O'Brien motored to Rutland and Poultney to spend the week-end with relatives.

See those colored silk waists at Abbott's.

TALK OF THE TOWN

New silk waists at Abbott's. Dr. D. C. Jarvis of Orange street was a business visitor in Burlington Saturday.

Miss Grace Brown left this morning for Evans, where she is to make an extended stay.

Jerry Donahue returned last evening from Northfield, where he spent the week end at his home.

Mrs. Margaret Coleman of New York arrived in the city last evening for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. G. A. Jones left Saturday evening for Boston, where she is passing several days with relatives.

Milo D. Wood arrived in the city from Boston last evening for an extended stay in Barre and vicinity.

Peter Hamel of Wellington street is taking a week's vacation from his duties in the Marion tobacco store.

Sadler, Keith avenue, specializes in ladies', misses' and girls' coats. Fall and winter designs now on display.

Miss Leney Lehto of Graniteville passed through the city this morning while on her way to Winoski for an extended stay.

Miss Catherine Sullivan of Cliff street returned Saturday from Woodbury pond, where she has been visiting during the past two weeks.

Miss Lena Barbieri left the city this morning for Boston, where she is to resume her studies in the New England Conservatory of Music.

Stanley Tassie of South Main street resumed his duties in the Marion tobacco store this morning after passing a week's vacation in North Hero.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Colamer returned this morning to their home in Shelburne after having visited their son, George H. Colamer of North Main street, for a few days.

Misses Harriman and Carlson have returned to Barre after passing several days with their cousin, G. Cleveland Percy, a motorcycle policeman in Concord, N. H.

Miss Bessie E. Pitkin, who has been engaged as a nurse in Providence, R. I., arrived in the city yesterday for a visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. Leona Pitkin of Jefferson street.

Peter Alexander of Patterson street resumed his duties as baggage master at the Central Vermont station this morning, succeeding Walter S. Milne of Liberty street, who completed work there Saturday night.

Alden Burke of Summer street, a member of the graduating class of Spaulding high school last June, left yesterday for Worcester, Mass., where he expects to enroll in Holy Cross college upon the opening of sessions to-morrow.

A party consisting of Robert Thomson, Alex. McKinnon, Andrew Benzie, James Coburn and Andrew Brown returned last evening from Hyde Park, where they spent the week end at the home of Mr. Thomson's daughter, Mrs. Jones.

William A. McLeod of the Montpelier road resumed his duties in the Quarry Savings bank to-day after passing a vacation of 10 days in Old Orchard, Me. and Boston. He was accompanied on the trip by A. C. and G. C. Walker of Grant avenue, who returned to the city yesterday.

Charles H. Wilkie of Central street resumed his duties in the upholstering department at A. W. Badger & Co.'s store this morning after a vacation of a week. Accompanied by Mrs. Wilkie and son, who have been spending several weeks in Barton, Mr. Wilkie returned Saturday from a visit in Orleans county and Canada.

William Emslie of North Main street and Dr. E. H. Bailey of Graniteville returned Saturday from Old Orchard, Me., where they have been visiting during the past week. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Emslie and by Mrs. Bailey, who have been visiting at Old Orchard during the past four weeks, the trip home being made by automobile through the White mountains.

George Brown resumed his duties in the Barre Savings bank to-day, after a vacation of two weeks, a part of which he passed in Enosburg Falls, being accompanied there by Mrs. Brown and little daughter. Upon their return to Barre they were accompanied by Miss Gertrude McCarthy, who went to Montreal, P. Q., with her niece, Miss Frances Hazel, the latter being en route to Oklahoma City, Okla., there to attend school.

Fred Gomo of Graniteville passed through the city this morning while on his way to Brandon, where he is to confer with I. M. Frost, formerly of the Corry, Deavitt & Frost company, who is now operating a power plant for the concern represented by Mr. Frost. He expects to be assigned to a plant in Brandon or near Plattsburg, N. Y., and while he is getting settled Mrs. Gomo is to remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pirie of Williamstown.

W. T. Maiden of Church street, who has been spending the summer at Loon Lake, N. Y., has resumed his duties as an instructor at Montpelier seminary. He is to have charge of a husky football team at the seminary this fall and the present outlook is for an eleven that may be almost alone in the field, inasmuch as some of the central Vermont secondary schools are not to play football this year.

Several games arranged by the seminary management are with southern Vermont teams.

With Springfield, Mass., as their destination, William Black of Pleasant street, Alex. Edward and James Gail left the city last evening to be employed in a munitions plant, each having been connected for several years with the Barre granite industry. They expect to be joined by their families in the near future.

Messrs. Black and Edward have lately been identified with the governing board of Glen Gordon, the former as chief and the latter as secretary. The party was accompanied by James Rhind, who has gone to Hartford, Conn., to rejoin his family.

With the opening of the bird and rabbit season Saturday, small game hunters forsook their city haunts and spent the afternoon in the open. It is not on record that partridges or rabbits in any quantity have been bagged thus far, as the more favorable conditions for hunting will not obtain until the foliage disappears and light snowfalls occur. The open season on rabbits or hares continues from Sept. 15 to March 1 and partridges and quail may be killed from Sept. 15 to Dec. 1. Gray squirrels had reason to duck for cover Saturday, as they are legal prey for hunters from Sept. 15 to Dec. 1, albeit the foliage is as much in their favor as it serves to advantage for the birds. Wild ducks and wild geese may be killed from Sept. 16 to Jan. 1. The fall demand for shooting and trapping licenses has not become acute as yet, although many of the permits issued in Barre last spring were for hunting and fishing alike.

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See the regular \$7.50 Serge Dress that is now selling in this sale at only \$5.63. The materials alone would cost more than we are asking for the whole Dress.

At \$9.00 are a number of Dresses in different styles that will surely appeal to you as values that you cannot duplicate again this season. These are Dresses that are good in style and an extra good quality Serge that sold at \$12.00. For these few days only \$9.00.

At \$10.50 are some Serge Dress values in qualities and styles that were right at \$14.00. There is only one or two of a style.

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When in New York last week we were able to pick up some Colored Waist values that we consider very good. We have a line of Dark Colored Silk Waists in stripes and plaids that are in good demand just now; these are priced at from \$3.98 to \$5.00, and are of extra worth. We have some new numbers at \$2.00 and \$3.50 in the White Wash Waists such as India and Crepe de Chene.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Miss Edith King of Plainfield is visiting Miss Emily Dodge of Averill street.

G. Filbert of Railroad street is confined to the house by an attack of pneumonia.

A daughter was born Sunday noon to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dewey, 21 Maple avenue.

Frank A. Gove has gone to Boston to enter the Massachusetts General hospital for treatment.

Dr. J. A. Bachand and family of St. Johnsbury called on friends in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harry B. Houghton returned to her home to-day after a two weeks' stay with Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Leonard in Asbury Park, N. J.

A daughter weighing seven pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O. Macneil at the Rockingham hospital in Bellows Falls Saturday evening, Sept. 15.

Mrs. Gertrude Chapin and two children have returned home after a six weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Clark's Island, Me. They were accompanied by Miss Elva Chapin, who will spend a year at the home of her uncle, Harlie Chapin, 11 Upland avenue.

Mrs. Eugene Duinell, who was called to Barre by the illness and death of her brother, Charles Tacy of South Main street, was in the funeral party to West Chazy, N. Y., for burial this morning and will go thence to her home in Beekmantown, N. Y.

William Dean of Albany, N. Y., has been passing a few days at his former home in Barre, having come here to visit his brother, Private Arthur Dean of the Canadian army, who will leave with his regiment for England within a few days.

James Booth of Prospect street, who has been employed as a kitchen assistant in the Woodstock inn during the summer, returned to the city Saturday evening.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's line of coats.

Miss Marion Gove of Eastern avenue has gone to Boston to enter the Massachusetts General hospital to train for a nurse.

Mrs. W. H. Eager and son, Gordon, have returned from Plattsburg, N. Y., where they have been attending the annual fair.

Bessie E. Spear, teacher of piano, organ, harmony and the history of music; residence studio, 26 Jefferson street; telephone 118. Appointments for lessons for coming season should be made before Sept. 22.

John Nelson and family and Mrs. Agnes Williams and Miss Madeline Williams have returned from a motor trip to Springfield, Mass., where they accompanied Miss Mabelle Nelson, who returns to Philadelphia to continue her course in nursing at the University of Pennsylvania hospital.

Notice to members of Williamstown branch, American Red Cross: Tuesday afternoon at the sewing class held at Charles Beckett's cottage, a business meeting will be held. A number of very important items will be acted upon, therefore we wish all the members to be present in order that all may help to make the meeting a successful one.

Will all drafted men from Williamstown communicate with Mrs. A. A. Cross, president of the Red Cross so that they may be given their allotment of pajamas and comfort kits? Red Cross headquarters have requested each chapter to outfit the drafted men from the home towns.

A Little Dig.

Allotment Holder (to borrowing neighbor): "I hate to bother you, old man, but I wonder if you would mind lending me my garden tools for a few minutes?"

UMPIRE HAS NO CINCH.

H. Perry Lewis of Philadelphia Deals with Troubles of "Umps."

In a recent article dealing with his lives and troubles of professional baseball umpires, H. Perry Lewis of Philadelphia said:

In this generous world, which, despite pessimists and culture, we believe is getting better every day, a man is prone to discount the mistakes of his fellows. Our prisons are no longer punitive establishments, but are founded on the principle of reformation. Our employees (if we are fortunate enough to have them) are forgiven when they err; our employers overlook our mistakes (sometimes). The business or professional man who slips up is an object of sympathy; the calf is still killed for the prodigal son; the errors of the ball players are forgiven. Verily mankind is patient and forgiving to all but the baseball umpire.

Here is the man around whom the whole game revolves. He is the arm of authority which dignifies the sport; his is the voice which decides the fate of ball clubs in which are invested millions of capital. He can make the game a spectacle fit for the eyes of our mothers, sisters, wives and sweethearts, or by his weakness allow it to degenerate into a riot besmirching the fair name of sport. Surely much rests on the shoulders of the umpire—the much vilified, constantly abused umpire.

You who see the umpire out there on the ball field with apparently nothing to do but stand behind the catcher clad in a nice cool mask and protector and call the balls and strikes, or assume a Napoleonic attitude on the bases and occasionally make a decision, pause for a moment and consider the duties and the life of an umpire.

For about seven months of the year

he leads a nomadic life, journeying from city to city, and never knowing four days ahead what his next move will be. One thing he does know, and that is that unless he "calls them right" 90 per cent of the time his next move will be out of the league, with absolutely no chance of working his way back.

His position is unlike that of the ball player. The latter spends half of the playing season on the road and half in the town in which he is playing. Therefore he has a chance to make his home where he is employed and of being in it half of the time. Not so the umpire. For seven months the only opportunity he has of seeing his family is by having them meet him somewhere on the road, usually at considerable expense.

Six days in the week he must be on duty at the ball park when working in the East, and seven days when working in the West. He may be suffering from a headache, and the hot sun may burn his tired eyes, but nevertheless he must be put there "calling them right." He doesn't dare to tell the ball players he is not feeling right; neither can he announce his trouble to the spectators. But if he slips up once or twice, or if some ball player makes it look as though he had slipped up, woe to him. Thousands will stand on their feet and plead for his gore.

As a matter of fact, there isn't much an umpire can tell any one. The league heads frown if he so much as appears to be fraternizing with the players. He is not supposed to stop at the hotel patronized by the ball clubs nor travel on the same trains with them, if it can be avoided. Organized baseball, therefore, makes him a baseball outcast, and such he must be to hold his job.

This is considerable of a hardship when it is remembered that it is the natural bent of man to mix with business colleagues. They have something in common, something that brings them together on common ground.

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